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Prasenjit SARKAR)	Group Art Unit: 2143
Serial No.: 10/698,069)	
Filed: October 30, 2003)	Examiner: TBA
For: A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR)	
INTERNET TRANSPORT)	Alty Dkt No. ARC920030075US1
ACCELERATION WITHOUT)	
PROTOCOL OFFLOAD)	

REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)

Commissioner For Patents
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Sir:

Please correct the inventorship of the above-captioned Patent Application by adding Michael A. Ko as a joint-inventor with Prasenjit Sarkar.

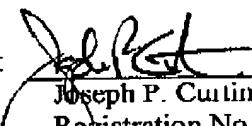
Applicants have enclosed a Statement Of Michael A. Ko indicating that the omission of his name as an inventor when the present Patent Application was filed was without deceptive intent on his part.

Additionally, a Declaration is enclosed that is executed by both joint-inventors and a Fee Transmittal for the processing fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i).

A Written Consent To Change Inventorship and a Letter Of Authority are also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By:


Joseph P. Curtin

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Dated: May 24, 2004

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STATEMENT OF MICHAEL A. KO

Commissioner For Patents
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Sir:

I, as the undersigned, am a joint inventor of the invention that is the subject matter of the above-captioned Patent Application. The Patent Application was filed on October 30, 2003, naming Prasenjit Sarkar as the sole inventor. My name was omitted as a joint inventor without deceptive intent on my part.

Respectfully submitted,

By: Michael A. Ko
Michael A. Ko

Dated: 5/14/04

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

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the specification of which is:

attached hereto

was filed on October 30, 2003
as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 10/698,069
and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 USC §119(a-d) or §365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full name of sole or first inventor: **Michael Anthony KO**Inventor's signature: *Michael Ko*Date: **5/14/04**Residence: **1064 Queensbridge Court, San Jose, CA 95120-4215**Citizenship: **USA**Post Office Address: **1064 Queensbridge Court
San Jose, CA 95120-4215**Full name of second inventor: **Prasenjit SARKAR**Inventor's signature: *P.J. Sarkar*Date: **5/18/04**Residence: **1420 Via Del Los Grande, San Jose, CA 95120-4923**Citizenship: **India**Post Office Address: **1420 Via Del Los Grande
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WRITTEN CONSENT TO CHANGE INVENTORSHIP

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Sir:

I, as the undersigned, have authority to approve and execute documents on behalf of IBM Corporation relating to proceedings in the Patent and Trademark Office in the United States of America. A copy of a Letter Of Authority setting forth my authority is attached herewith.

The above-captioned patent application was filed October 30, 2003, naming Prasenjit Sarkar as the sole inventor. After the above-captioned Patent Application was filed, an error in the inventorship of the present Patent Application was discovered. Specifically, it was discovered that Michael Anthony Ko of 1064 Queensbridge Court, San Jose, California, is a joint-inventor for the present Patent Application.

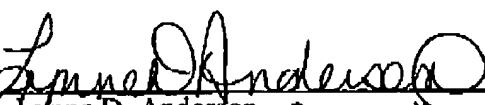
An Assignment assigning all rights to IBM Corporation was solely executed by Prasenjit Sarkar and submitted for recordation when the present Patent Application was filed on October 30, 2003. A copy of the original Assignment is attached herewith.

I hereby give my written consent on behalf of IBM Corporation, the Assignee of the

present Patent Application, to change the inventorship in the above-captioned Patent Application by adding Michael Anthony Ko as a joint-inventor.

Respectfully submitted,

By:



Lynne D. Anderson, Program Manager, USPTO
IBM Corporation Liaison
Washington Intellectual Property Law Dept.
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Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Dated: May 3, 2004

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I, Gerald Rosenthal, Vice President, Intellectual Property and Licensing of International Business Machines Corporation (IBM), a New York corporation, do hereby delegate the authority to approve and execute documents on behalf of IBM relating to proceedings in the Patent, Trademark Registration or Copyright Offices servicing any country or region of the world, or to related appeal proceedings, including, but not limited to: petitions; powers of Attorney; authorizations; verification; nominations of representatives; declarations; documents relating to maintenance and defense of the resulting industrial property rights; assignments of rights to apply for and acquire patents and trademark registrations; and evidence of such assignments; requests for the registration of patents as available for licensing; reports of inventions and petitions for waiver of patent rights to any department or agency of the United States Government; and, assignments, licenses and other instruments confirmatory of Government rights in patents and inventions, to Lynne D. Anderson, Program Manager, Patent Office Liaison.

Date: April 6, 2004



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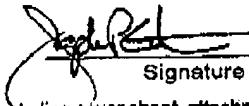
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ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, I/we,

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County of Santa Clara	County of Santa Clara
State of California	State of California
(3)	(4)
City of	City of
County of	County of
State of	State of
(5)	(6)
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have invented certain improvements in:

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and executed a Declaration and Power of Attorney for a United States patent application therefor on

(1) <u>5/14/04</u>	(2) <u>5/18/04</u>	(3) _____
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